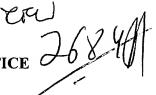


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LOUIS R. BROTHERS, JR.

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DOWNLINK DIVERSITY WITHIN A COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

Art Unit 2684

Examiner Angelica Perez

## **EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant(s) respectfully petitions the Commissioner for an extension of the shortened statutory period for response in the above-identified Application.

The fee for this extension is indicated below:

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- \_ One Month (\$120)
- \_ Two Months (\$450)
- **★** Three Months (\$1,020)
- \_ Four Months (\$1,590)

Please charge the fee to deposit account no. 20-0668. Any further necessary extension of time is hereby requested. Charge any and all fees to deposit account no. 20-0668.

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Respectfully submitted,

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